# Auditing Procedures Report

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7.			The local	unit has r	not been delinq	uent in dist	tributing tax i	evenues that were	collected for anot	her taxing unit.	
8.			The local	unit only	nolds deposits/	investment	ts that compl	y with statutory requ	uirements.		
9.			The local unit has no illegal or unauthorized expenditures that came to our attention as defined in the <i>Bulletin for Audits of Local Units of Government in Michigan</i> , as revised (see Appendix H of Bulletin).								
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14.			The board	d or cound	cil approves all	invoices pi	rior to payme	ent as required by ch	narter or statute.		
15.			To our kn	owledge,	bank reconcilia	tions that v	were reviewe	ed were performed t	imely.		
includes I, th	If a local unit of government (authorities and commissions included) is operating within the boundaries of the audited entity and is not included in this or any other audit report, nor do they obtain a stand-alone audit, please enclose the name(s), address(es), and a description(s) of the authority and/or commission.  I, the undersigned, certify that this statement is complete and accurate in all respects.										
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**Eaton County, Michigan** 

FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

Year Ended March 31, 2007

# Eaton County, Michigan

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Certified Public Accountant

#### INDEPENDENT AUDITORS' REPORT

To the Board Bellevue Township Eaton County, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, the major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of Bellevue Township as of and for the year ended March 31, 2007, which collectively comprise the Township's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of Bellevue Township management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and the major fund of Bellevue Township as of March 31, 2007, thereof for the year then ended in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

The budgetary comparison schedule is not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplemental information required by the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consist principally of inquires of management, regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplemental information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

The accompanying financial statements do not present a management's discussion and analysis, which would be an analysis of the financial performance for the year. The Governmental Accounting Standards Board has determined that this analysis is necessary to supplement, although not required to be a part of, the basic financial statements.

Grand Rapids, Michigan November 23, 2007

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# Bellevue Township MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

#### **Using this Annual Report**

This annual report consists of a series of financial statements. The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities provide information about the activities of the Township as a whole and present a longer-term view of the Township's finances. Fund financial statements tell how these services were financed in the short-term, as well as what remains for future spending. Fund financial statements also report the Township's operations in more detail than the government-wide financial statements.

#### The Township as a Whole

In a condensed format, the table below shows the net assets as of March 31, 2007:

	Governmental Activities
	2007
Current assets	\$ 438,163
Noncurrent assets	40,000
Total assets	478,163
Other liabilities	6,572
Total liabilities	6,572
Net assets	
Invested in capital assets - net of debt	40,000
Unrestricted	431,591
Total net assets	\$ 471,591

Unrestricted net assets, the part of net assets that can be used to finance day to day operations, decreased by \$813 for the governmental activities. The current level of unrestricted net assets for our governmental activities stands at \$431,591, or about 151% of expenditures. This is within the targeted range set by the Township Board during its last budget process.

# Bellevue Township MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

The following table shows the changes of the net assets as of March 31, 2007 to the prior year:

	2007
Program revenues	
Charges for services	\$ 70,194
Operating grants and contributions	26,473
General Revenue	
Property tax	56,207
State revenue	121,384
Unrestricted investment income	9,252
Miscellaneous	1,689
Total Revenues	285,199
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Program expenses	
General government	148,126
Public safety	40,493
Public works	52,830
Community development	8,977
Recreation and culture	35,586
Total expenses	286,012
Change in net assets	\$ (813)

### **Governmental Activities**

There was no significant change in governmental activities from the previous year.

### The Township's Funds

Our analysis of the Township's major fund begins on page 10, following the entity wide financial statements. The fund financial statements provide detail information about the most significant funds, not the Township as a whole. The Township Board creates funds to help manage money for specific purposes as well as to show accountability for certain activities, such as special property tax millages. The Township's major fund for the year ended March 31, 2007 was the General Fund.

#### **Capital Asset and Debt Administration**

At March 31, 2007, the Township had \$40,000, net of accumulated depreciation, invested in land, building and equipment.

The Township had no debt outstanding.

# Bellevue Township MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS

### **Economic Factors and Next Year's Budgets and Rates**

The Township's budget for 2008 remains little changed from the year ended March 31, 2007 because the Township expects to make no significant additions to its capital assets.

#### **Contacting the Township's Management**

This financial report is intended to provide our citizens, taxpayers, customers and investors with a general overview of the Township's finances and to show the Township's accountability for the money it receives. If you have questions about this report or need additional information, we welcome you to contact the Township's Supervisor at the Bellevue Township Hall, 115 North Main Street, Bellevue, Michigan, 49021. The Township's phone number is (269) 763-2989.



Eaton County, Michigan

**Statement of Net Assets** 

	Go	vernmental activities
GOVERNMENTAL ASSETS		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	357,668
Receivables (net)		80,495
Capital assets - net		40,000
TOTAL ASSETS	\$	478,163
<b>GOVERNMENTAL LIABILITIES</b>		
Accounts payable	\$	5,838
Accrued and other liabilities		734
TOTAL LIABILITIES		6,572
GOVERNMENTAL NET ASSETS		
Invested in capital assets		40,000
Unrestricted		431,591
TOTAL NET ASSETS		471,591
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$	478,163

Eaton County, Michigan

**Statement of Activities** 

			Charges	for	Operating grants and	vernmental
Functions/Programs		Expenses	servi	es	contributions	activities
PRIMARY GOVERNMENT EXPENSES						
General government	\$	148,126 \$	40,2	22 \$	2,592	\$ (105,312)
Public safety		40,493	12,4	40	5,438	(22,615)
Public works		52,830	10,0	18	3,745	(39,067)
Community and economic development		8,977	-		-	(8,977)
Recreation and culture		35,586	7,5	14	14,698	(13,374)
Total Governmental activities	\$	286,012 \$	70,1	94	26,473	(189,345)
General Revenues						
Property taxes						56,207
State-shared revenue						121,384
Unrestricted investment incor	ne					9,252
Miscellaneous						1,689
Total general revenues - specia	l item	s and transfer	3			188,532
Change in net assets						(813)
Net assets at beginning of year						472,404
Net assets at beginning of year					\$	471,591

Eaton County, Michigan Governmental Funds Balance Sheet

March 31, 2007

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	General Fund
<u>ASSETS</u>	
Cash	\$ 357,668
Taxes receivable	80,495
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 438,163
LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	
LIABILITIES	
Accounts payable	\$ 5,838
Payroll deductions payable	734
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,572
FUND BALANCES	
Undesignated	431,591
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 438,163

**Eaton County, Michigan** 

Reconciliation of Fund Balance of Governmental Funds to the Net Assets of Governmental Activities on the Statement of Net Assets

Total fund balances - total governmental funds	\$ 431,591
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the statement of net assets are different because: Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial resources and therefore are not reported in the funds. These assets consist of:	
Capital assets at cost	40,000
Net assets of governmental activities	\$ 471.591

Eaton County, Michigan

**Governmental Funds** 

Statement of Revenue, Expenditures, and Changes in Fund Balances

	General Fund
REVENUE	
Taxes	\$ 80,495
State grants	129,992
Federal grants	5,168
Fines and forfeitures	14,766
Charges for services	36,409
Interest and rents	9,252
Other revenue	9,148
TOTAL REVENUE	285,230
EXPENDITURES	
General government	121,416
Public safety	40,493
Public works	52,830
Community and economic development	17,598
Recreation and culture	35,586
Other	18,120
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	286,043
NET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(813)
FUND BALANCES, BEGINNING OF YEAR	432,404
FUND BALANCES, END OF YEAR	\$ 431,591

**Eaton County, Michigan** 

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances of Governmental Funds to the Statement of Activities

Net change in fund balances - total governmental funds	\$	(813)
Change in net assets of government activities	<b>\$</b>	(813)

Eaton County, Michigan Fiduciary Fund Statement of Net Assets

Agency Fund Type				
<u>ASSETS</u>				
Cash	\$	158,921		
<u>LIABILITIES</u>				
Undistributed taxes	\$	158,921		



Eaton County, Michigan Notes to Basic Financial Statements For the year ended March 31, 2007

#### NOTE 1 - SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of Bellevue Township conform to accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies used by Bellevue Township:

#### A. Reporting Entity

Bellevue Township is governed by an elected five member Board. The Township has no component units, entities for which the government is considered to be financially accountable.

#### B. Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting, as are the proprietary fund and fiduciary fund financial statements. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Property taxes are recognized as revenue in the year for which they are levied. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting. However, debt service expenditures, expenditures relating to compensated absences, and claims and judgments are recorded only when payment is due.

Bellevue Township's property tax is levied on each December 1 on the taxable valuation of property (as defined by State statutes) located in Bellevue Township as of the preceding December 31st.

The 2006 taxable valuation of Bellevue Township totaled \$68,466,200, on which ad valorem taxes levied consisted of the following:

	Mills levied	Raising
Operating	0.8220 \$	56,279

The government reports the following major governmental fund:

The General Fund is the government's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government.

Eaton County, Michigan Notes to Basic Financial Statements For the year ended March 31, 2007

Additionally, the government reports the following fund types:

The Trust and agency fund accounts for property tax collected on behalf of the Township and other units.

Private-sector standards of accounting issued prior to December 1, 1989, are generally followed in government-wide financial statements to the extent that those standards do not conflict with the standards of the Governmental Accounting Standards Board.

#### C. Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

Bank Deposits and Investments--Cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value.

Receivables and Payables--In general, outstanding balances between funds are reported as "due to/from other funds." Activity between funds that is representative of lending/borrowing arrangements outstanding at the end of the fiscal year is referred to as "advances to/from other funds." Any residual balances outstanding between the governmental activities and the business-type activities are reported in the government-wide financial statements as "internal balances."

All trade and property tax receivables are shown as net of allowance for uncollectible amounts. Property taxes are levied on each December 1st on the taxable valuation of property as of the preceding December 31st. Taxes are considered delinquent on March 1st of the following year, at which time penalties and interest are assessed.

Capital Assets--Capital assets, which include property, plant and equipment, are reported in the applicable governmental or business-type activities column in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined by the government as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of two years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation.

Eaton County, Michigan Notes to Basic Financial Statements For the year ended March 31, 2007

#### NOTE 2 - STEWARDSHIP, COMPLIANCE AND ACCOUNTABILITY

Budgetary Information--Annual budgets are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles for all governmental funds. All annual appropriations lapse at fiscal year end.

The Township normally follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements:

On or before March 1, the Township supervisor submits to the Board, a proposed operating budget for the fiscal year commencing on April 1. The operating budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.

A public hearing is conducted at the Township hall to obtain taxpayer comments.

On or before March 31, the budget is adopted by resolution.

Any revisions that alter the total expenditures of any fund must be approved by the Township Board.

Budgeted amounts are presented as originally adopted, or as amended by the Township Board before March 31. Individual amendments were not material in relation to the original appropriations which were amended.

Budgets as presented for the General Fund are prepared on the modified accrual basis of accounting on the activity level. Encumbrances are not recorded at year end. Budget appropriations lapse at the end of each fiscal year.

Budgetary amounts reported herein are as originally adopted, or as amended by the Township Board throughout the operating year.

The Township legally adopts budgets for the General Fund.

Budgets shown in the financial statements are adopted on a basis consistent with generally accepted accounting principles, and consist only of those amounts contained in the formal budget approved as amended by the Township Board.

The legal level of control is at the activity level of the General Fund.

The Township Clerk is authorized to transfer budgeted amounts between accounts within the same department. Revisions that alter the total expenditures of any fund or total department expenditures must be approved by the Township Board.

The budget document presents information by fund, function, department and line items. The legal level of budgetary control adopted by the governing body is the department level.

Amounts encumbered for purchase orders, contracts, etc., are not tracked during the year. Budget appropriations are considered to be spent once the goods are delivered or the services rendered.

Eaton County, Michigan Notes to Basic Financial Statements For the year ended March 31, 2007

Excess of Expenditures Over Appropriations in Budgeted Funds--During the year, Bellevue Township incurred expenditures in certain budgeted funds which were in excess of the amounts appropriated, as follows:

	Budget appropriation	Actual Expenditure
General Fund		
Public safety	\$ 32,350 \$	35,617
Community and economic development	-	15,857
Other governmental functions	21,250	21,286

#### **NOTE 3 - DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS**

Michigan Compiled Laws, Section 129.91, authorizes Bellevue Township to make deposits and invest in the accounts of federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations which have an office in Michigan. The Township is allowed to invest in bonds, securities and other direct obligations of the United States or any agency or instrumentality of the United States; United States government or federal agency obligations; repurchase agreements; bankers' acceptance of United States banks; commercial paper rated within the two highest classifications which mature not more than 270 days after the date of purchase; obligations of the State of Michigan or its political subdivisions which are rated as investment grade; and mutual funds composed of investment vehicles which are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan.

Bellevue Township Board has designated two banks for the deposit of Township funds. The investment policy adopted by the Board in accordance with Public Act 196 of 1997 has authorized investment in bonds and securities of the United States government and bank accounts and certificates of deposit, but not the remainder of State statutory authority as listed above.

Bellevue Township's deposits and investment policy are in accordance with statutory authority.

At year-end, the Township's deposits and investments were reported in the basic financial statements in the following categories:

	Governmental		Total Primary
	activities	Fiduciary Funds	Government
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 357,668 \$	158,921 \$	516,589

The bank balance of the Township's deposits is \$441,801, of which \$301,063 is covered by federal depository insurance and \$140,738 is uninsured and uncollateralized.

Eaton County, Michigan Notes to Basic Financial Statements For the year ended March 31, 2007

#### **NOTE 4 - RECEIVABLES**

Receivables as of year-end for the Township's individual major and nonmajor funds including the applicable allowances for uncollectible accounts, are as follows:

	Ge	eneral Fund	
Taxes receivable	\$	80,495	
Net Receivables	\$	80,495	

#### **NOTE 5 - CAPITAL ASSETS**

Capital asset activity of the primary government for the current year was as follows:

	Balance			Balance
Governmental Activities	April 1, 2006	Additions	Disposals	March 31, 2007
Assets not being depreciated	\$ 40,000 \$	\$	\$	40,000

### **NOTE 6 - RISK MANAGEMENT**

Bellevue Township is exposed to various risks of loss related to property loss, torts, errors and omissions and employee injuries (workers' compensation), as well as medical benefits provided to employees. Bellevue Township has purchased commercial insurance for all claims and participates in the Accident Fund for claims relating to employee injuries. Settled claims relating to the commercial insurance have not exceeded the amount of insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

#### NOTE 7 - OTHER POST-EMPLOYMENT BENEFITS

The Township has no post-retirement benefit plans at this time.

REQUIRED SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

Eaton County, Michigan General Fund

**Balance Sheet** 

March 31, 2007

	2007
<u>ASSETS</u>	 
Cash	\$ 357,668
Taxes receivable	80,495
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 438,163
LIABILITIES AND FUND EQUITY	
LIABILITIES	
Accounts payable	\$ 5,838
Payroll deductions payable	734
TOTAL LIABILITIES	6,572
FUND BALANCES	
Designated	
Undesignated fund balance	431,591
TOTAL FUND EQUITY	431,591
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCES	\$ 438,163

Eaton County, Michigan General Fund

**Budgetary Comparison Schedule** 

		Original budget	Final budget	Actual	Variance with final budget
REVENUES			<b>J</b>		
Property Taxes					
Current real property taxes	\$	63,000 \$	63,000 \$	56,207 \$	(6,793)
Delinquent real property taxes		6,000	6,000	-	(6,000)
Property tax administration fee		-	-	24,288	24,288
Total Property Taxes		69,000	69,000	80,495	11,495
Federal Grants					
FEMA grant		-	-	5,168	5,168
State Grants				424 204	424 204
State revenue sharing		- 427.250	- 427.250	121,384	121,384
Other state grants		127,250	127,250	8,608	(118,642)
Total State Grants		127,250	127,250	129,992	2,742
Fines and forfeitures		11,000	11,000	14,766	3,766
Charges for Services					
Services rendered		28,000	28,000	23,668	(4,332)
Sales		11,000	11,000	12,711	1,711
Fees		-	-	30	30
Total Charges for Services	,	39,000	39,000	36,409	(2,591)
Interest and Rentals					
Interest and dividends		2,500	2,500	9,252	6,752
Total Interest and Rentals		2,500	2,500	9,252	6,752
Other Revenue					
Contributions and donations		_	_	7,708	7,708
Other		- 1,200	1,200	609	(591)
Refunds		-	-,200	831	831
Total Other Revenue		1,200	1,200	9,148	7,948
TOTAL REVENUES		249,950	249,950	285,230	35,280

Eaton County, Michigan
General Fund
Budgetary Comparison Schedule

For the	year	ended	March	31, 2007
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EXPENDITURES				
	Original budget	Final budget	Actual	Variance with final budget
Township board	\$ 3,500 \$	3,500 \$	4,272 \$	(772)
Supervisor	13,600	13,600	13,722	(122)
Clerk	17,600	17,600	16,916	684
Board of review	1,200	1,200	1,006	194
Treasurer	23,400	23,400	24,368	(968)
Assessor	17,500	17,500	15,734	1,766
Elections	8,100	8,100	8,000	100
<b>Building and grounds</b>	3,000	3,000	8,545	(5,545)
Cemetery	37,500	37,500	28,853	8,647
Total General government	125,400	125,400	121,416	3,984
Public safety				
Fire department	20,000	20,000	20,000	-
First responder	20,800	20,800	20,493	307
Total Public safety	40,800	40,800	40,493	307

**Bellevue Township** 

Eaton County, Michigan General Fund

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**Budgetary Comparison Schedule** 

	Original budget	Final budget	Actual	Variance with final budget
Public works	<u> </u>	<b>-</b>		
Drains	\$ 5,000 \$	5,000 \$	2,465 \$	2,535
Street lighting	600	600	429	171
Highways, streets and bridges	51,000	51,000	49,936	1,064
Total Public works	56,600	56,600	52,830	3,770
Community and economic development				
Planning	18,100	18,100	17,598	502
Recreation and culture				
Library	38,400	38,400	35,586	2,814
Other governmental functions				
Insurance	11,000	11,000	11,419	(419)
Retirement	-	4,000	-	4,000
Social security	4,000	-,000	4,817	(4,817)
Unemployment insurance	-	-	545	(545)
Workers compensation insurance	1,000	1,000	926	74
Other	250	250	413	(163)
Capital outlay	5,000	5,000	-	5,000
Total Other governmental functions	21,250	21,250	18,120	3,130
OTAL EXPENDITURES	300,550	300,550	286,043	14,507
IET CHANGE IN FUND BALANCES	(50,600)	(50,600)	(813)	49,787
und balance at beginning of year	290,656	290,656	432,404	(141,748)
und balance at end of year	\$ 240,056 \$	240,056 \$	431,591 \$	(91,961)

# AUDITORS' REPORTS

Certified Public Accountant

#### COMMUNICATION WITH AUDIT COMMITTEE OR ITS EQUIVALENT

To the Board Bellevue Township Eaton County, Michigan

We have audited the general purpose financial statements of Bellevue Township, Eaton County, Michigan for the year ended March 31, 2007, and have issued our report thereon dated November 23, 2007. Professional standards require that we provide you with the following information related to our audit.

#### Our Responsibility under Generally Accepted Auditing Standards

As stated in our engagement letter dated May 2, 2007, our responsibility, as described by professional standards, is to plan and perform our audit to obtain reasonable, but not absolute, assurance that the general purpose financial statements are free of material misstatement and are fairly presented in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America. Because of the concept of reasonable assurance and because we did not perform a detailed examination of all transactions, there is a risk that material errors, fraud, or other illegal acts may exist and not be detected by us.

As part of our audit, we considered the internal control of Bellevue Township. Such considerations were solely for the purpose of determining our audit procedures and not to provide any assurance concerning such internal control.

As part of obtaining reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, we performed tests of the Bellevue Township's compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts, and grants. However, the objective of our tests was not to provide an opinion on compliance with such provisions.

#### **Significant Accounting Policies**

Management has the responsibility for selection and use of appropriate accounting policies. In accordance with the terms of our engagement letter, we will advise management about the appropriateness of accounting policies and their application. The significant accounting policies used by Bellevue Township are described in Note 1 to the general purpose financial statements. No new accounting policies were adopted and the application of existing policies was not changed during the year ended March 31, 2007. We noted no transactions entered into by Bellevue Township during the year that were both significant and unusual, and of which, under professional standards, we are required to inform you, or transactions for which there is a lack of authoritative guidance or consensus.

We encountered no significant difficulties in dealing with management in performing our audit.

This information is intended solely for the use of the Township Board and management of Bellevue Township and is not intended to be and should not be used by anyone other than these specified parties.

Douglas Wohlberg, CPA Grand Rapids, Michigan November 23, 2007

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Certified Public Accountant

#### MANAGEMENT COMMENTS LETTER

To the Board Bellevue Township Eaton County, Michigan

In planning and performing our audit of the financial statements of Bellevue Township for the year ended March 31, 2007 we considered its internal control in order to determine our auditing procedures for the purpose of expressing our opinion on the financial statements and not to provide assurance on internal control.

However, during our audit we became aware of matters that are opportunities for strengthening internal controls and operating efficiency. The memorandum that accompanies this letter summarizes our comments and suggestions regarding those matters. This letter does not affect our report dated November 23, 2007 on the financial statements of Bellevue Township

We will review the status of these comments during our next audit engagement. We have already discussed these comments and suggestions with Township personnel, and we will be pleased to discuss them in further detail at your convenience, to perform any additional study of these matters, or to assist you in implementing the recommendations

Douglas Wohlberg, CPA Grand Rapids, Michigan November 23, 2007

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### **Current comments and suggestions**

1. During our audit we noted that the transactions in certain cash and savings accounts had not been recorded. We recommend the Clerk record transactions in those accounts as they occur and reconcile those accounts with the Treasurer.